Dolphin

MR. ERNEST UNGER

FRIENDS

I hope the day will be a lighter highway,
For friends are found on ev'ry road;
Can you ever think of any better way
For the lost and weary travellers to go?
Making friends for the world to see
Let the people know you got what you need;
With a friend at hand you will see the light. . .

If your friends are there, then everything's all right.

It seems to me a crime that we should age,
These fragile times should never slip us by;
A time you never can or shall erase,
As friends together watch their childhood fly.
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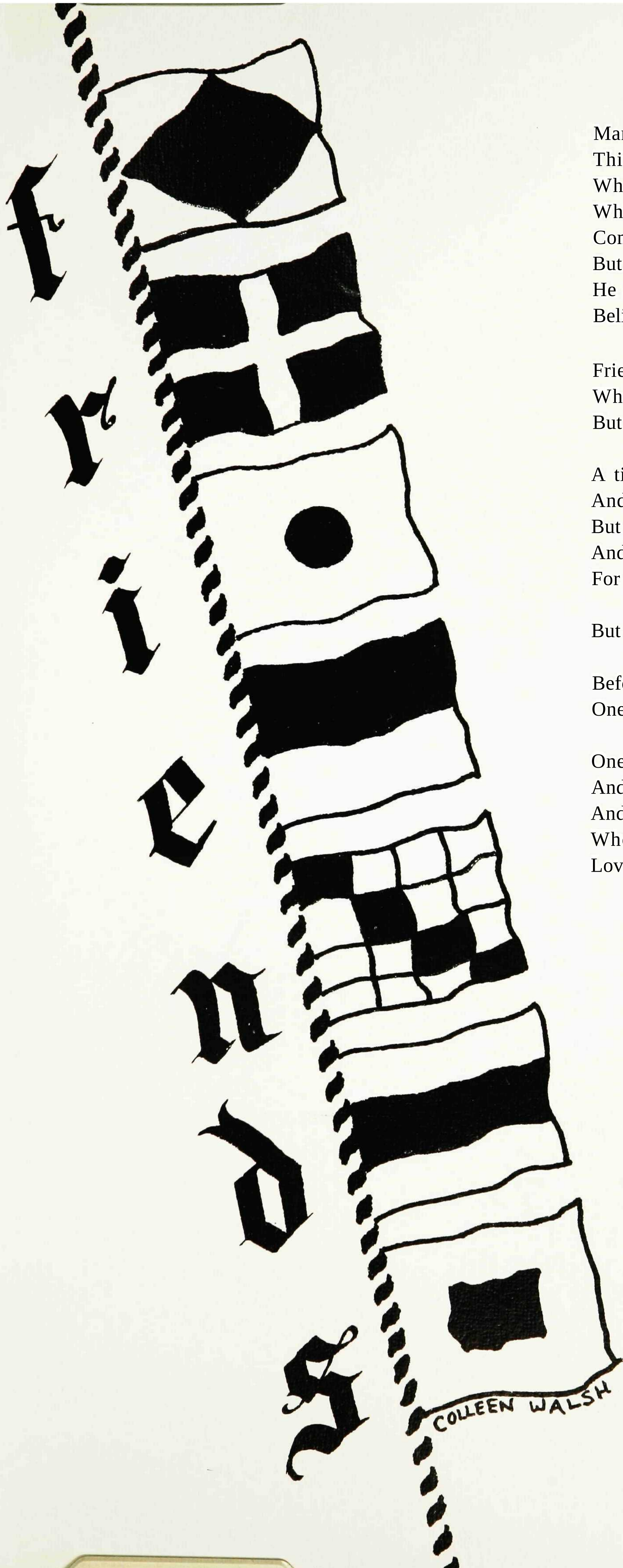
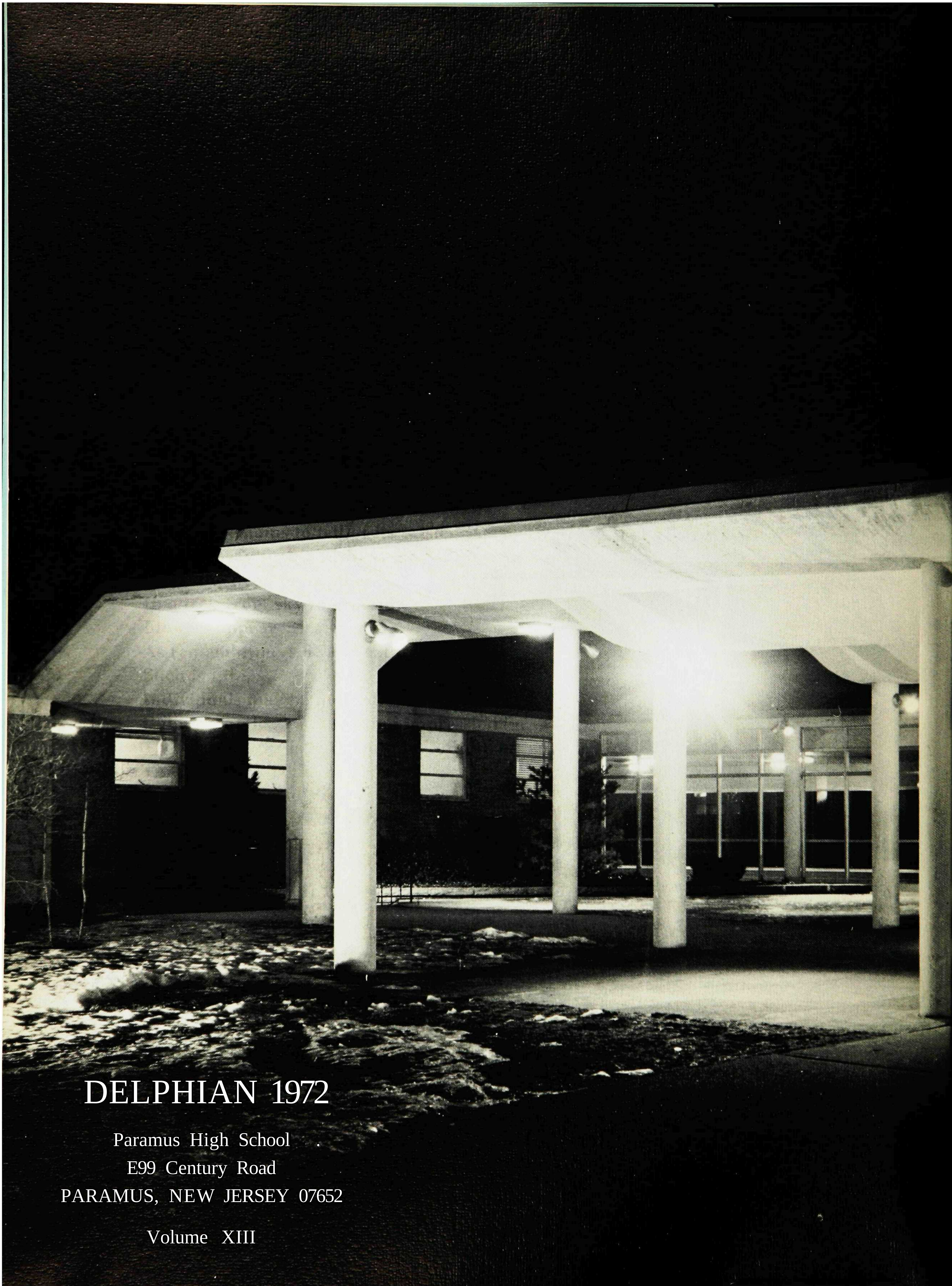
If your friends are there, then everything's all right.

— Elton John and
Bernie Taupin



Man lives alone
Thinking he has friends
Who touch his life —
Who stand by him, help him,
Comfort him, support him.
But in his voyage through life
He finds but one person to trust,
Believe in, depend on —
    Himself.
Friends are but acquaintances
Who share in his glories and triumphs
But desert him in his failures and humiliations.
    And this is Life —
A time when man touches
And is touched by others,
But all remain unmoved
And unchanged by each other.
For man lives in the closed world
    Of himself.
But sometimes, just sometimes man meets
    One person
Before whom all pretense falls—
One willing to share in all he does,
    Good or bad —
One who touches his very soul
And whose soul he touches.
And this special person
Who gives and takes
Love, understanding, companionship
    is . . .
        A Friend

—Clifford Singer



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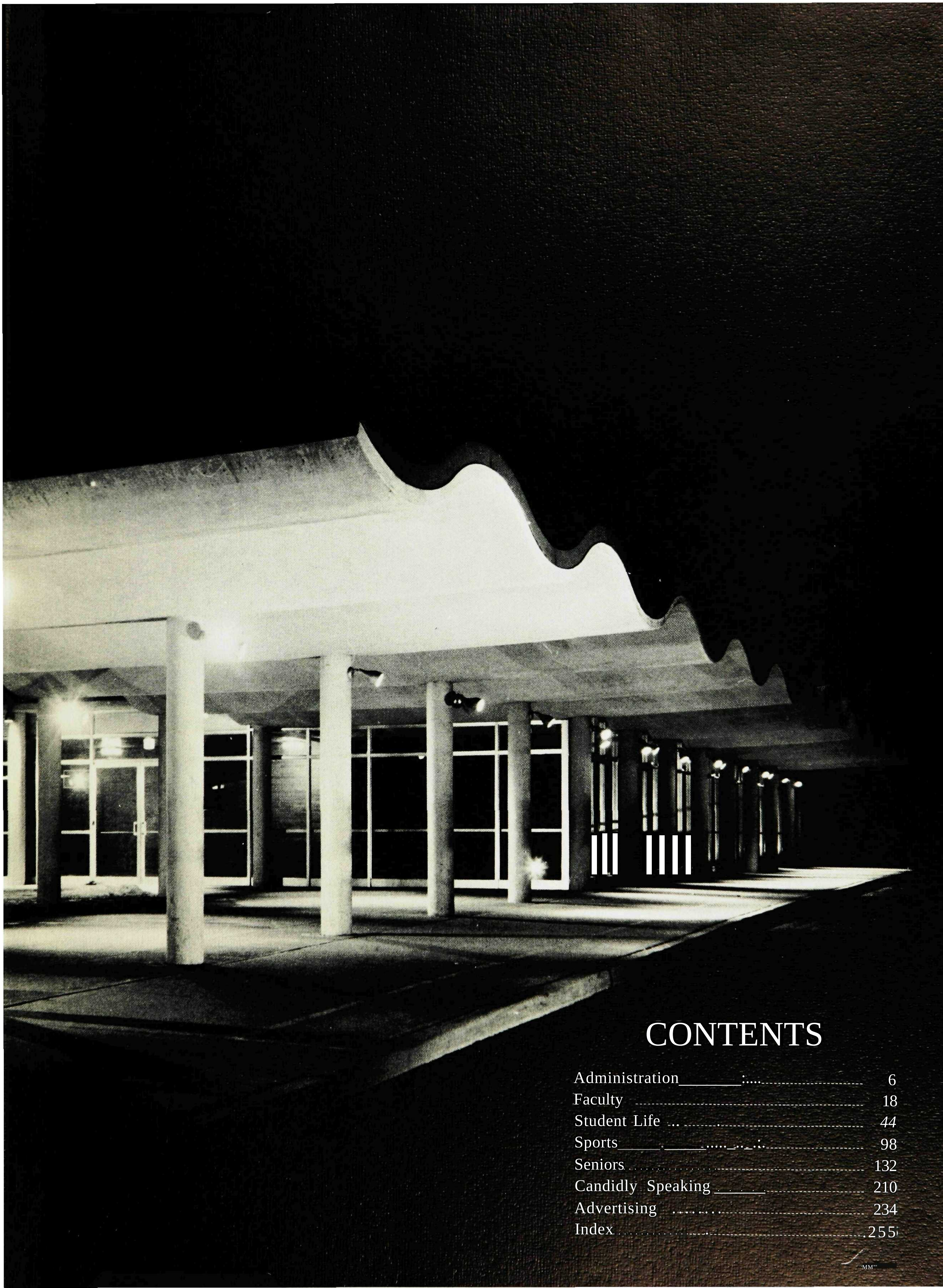

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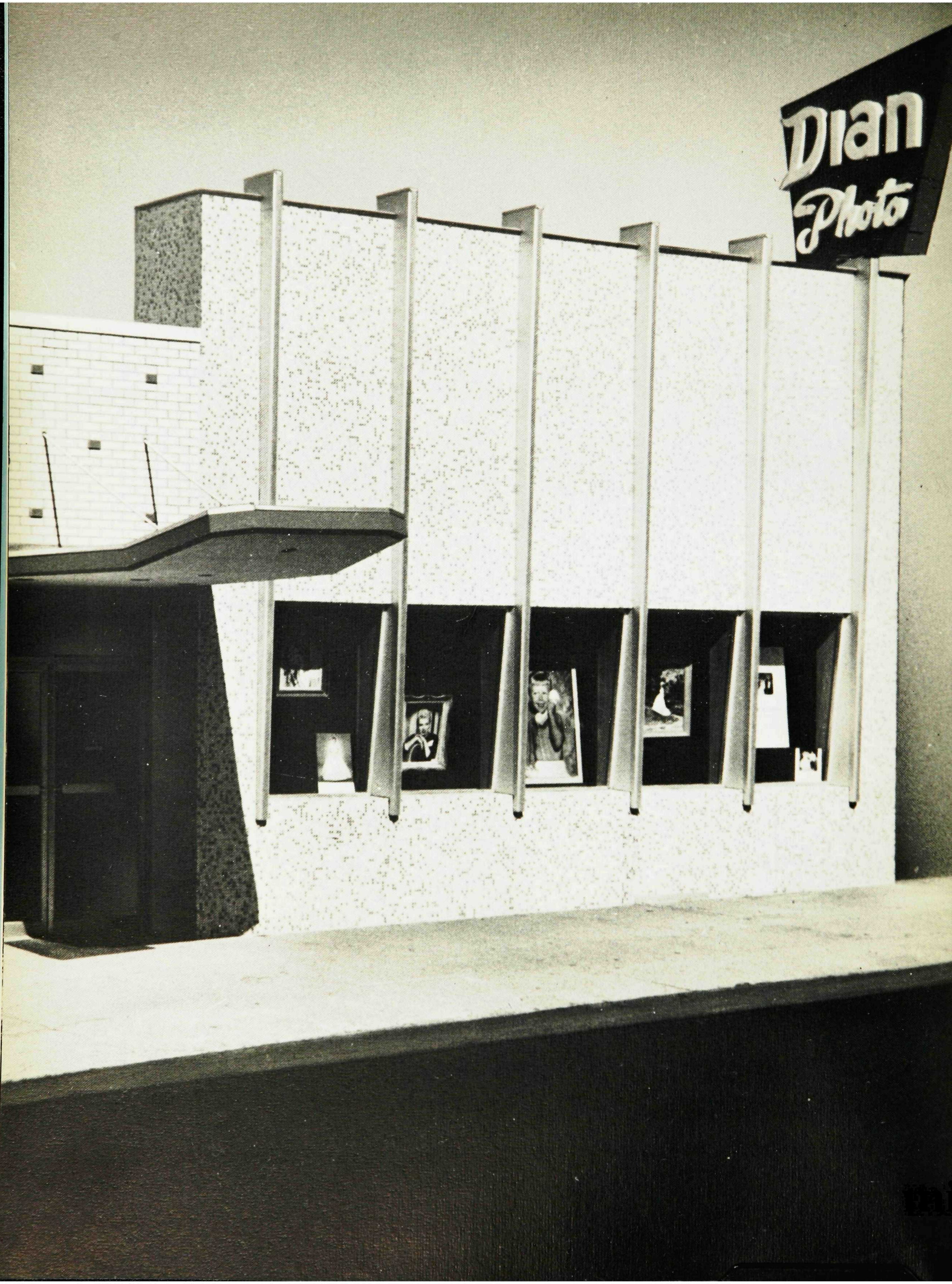
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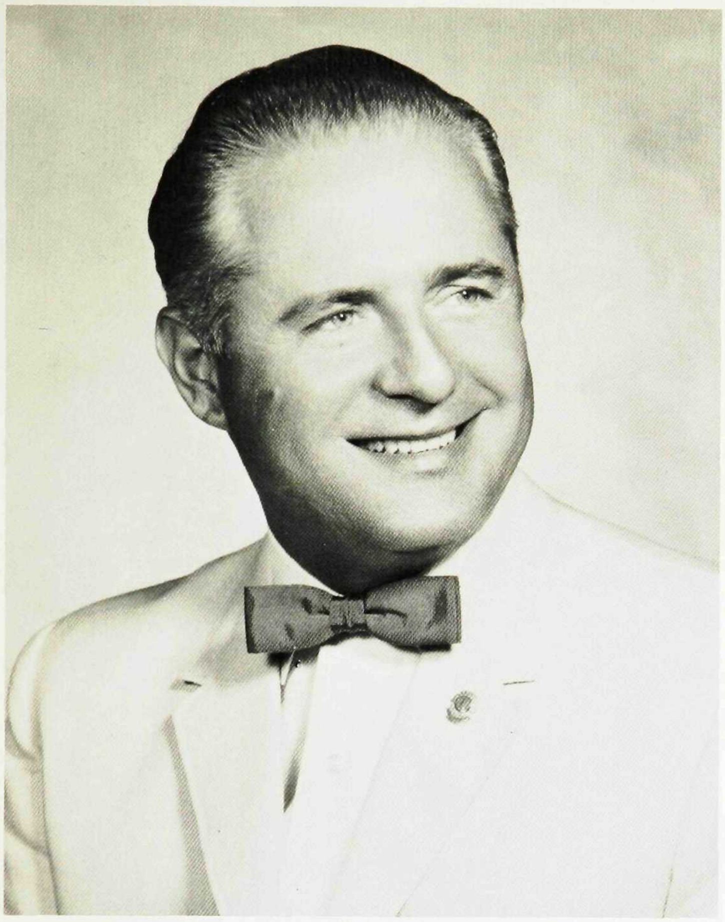

Kings of the Camera ...

One of the most pleasant sounding words in the English language is the word "friend." Of native origin, this word "friend" conjures up or brings to mind such warm associations as good times, happy faces, and fond memories.

Among these treasured recollections will always be our days at Paramus High School, especially our senior year. Who can ever forget having his or her picture taken for the yearbook?

To single out the two people most responsible for supplying us with these moments to remember is not a difficult task. Our photographers, Mr. Leonard Dian and Mr. Victor Tampone, affectionately known as "Lenny" and "Vic," richly deserve the credit.

Mr. Dian, as president of the Dian Studios, possesses that rare charm and highly technical ability of a real artist. Musician, humanitarian, and photographer, Mr. Dian is a "friend of the first water" — indeed a diamond — to P.H.S.

Long May They Live!

His co-owner and worker, Mr. Victor Tampone, is the personification of patience. Most students are not aware of the fact that they were being photographed by a man who has been associated with Vogue Magazine and who has taken pictures of many famous people. Mr. Tampone is our own "celebrity." He takes great pride in his work and his devotion to detail has produced peerless results.

It is with the utmost pride and pleasure that we of **the** *Delphian Staff* wish to dedicate this 1972 Edition of the Yearbook, in friendship, to two of our most loyal friends, "Lenny and Vic."

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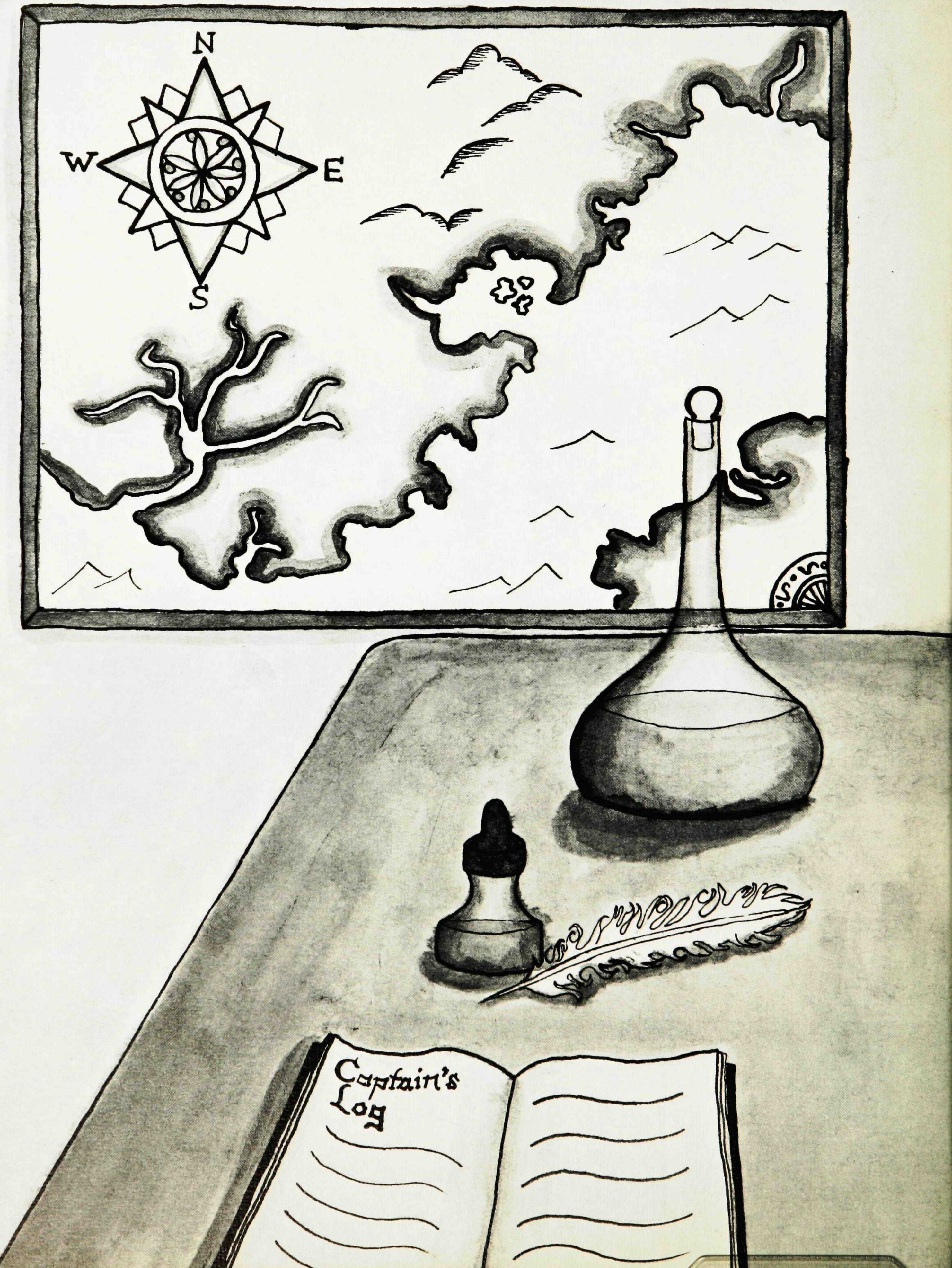

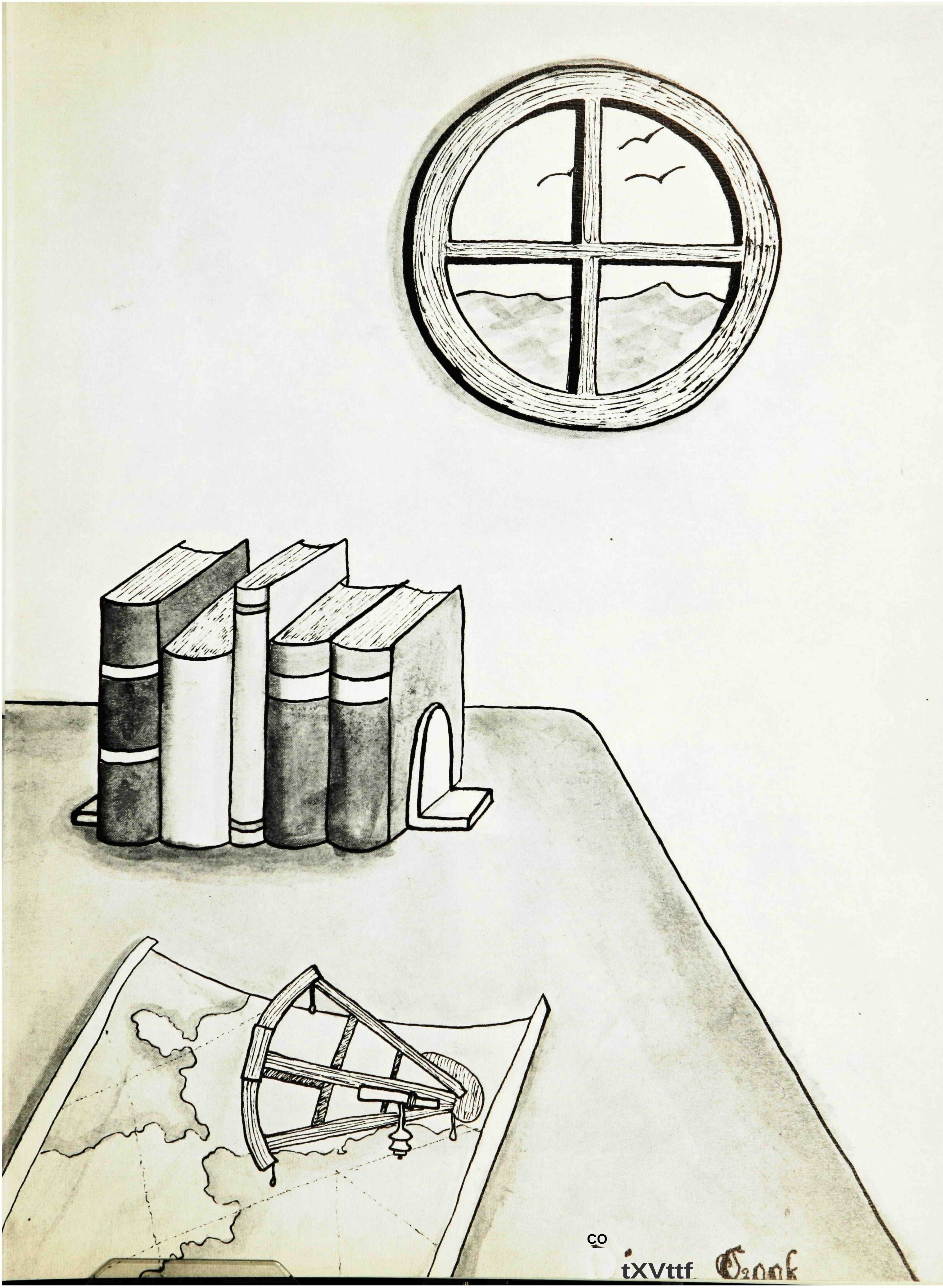

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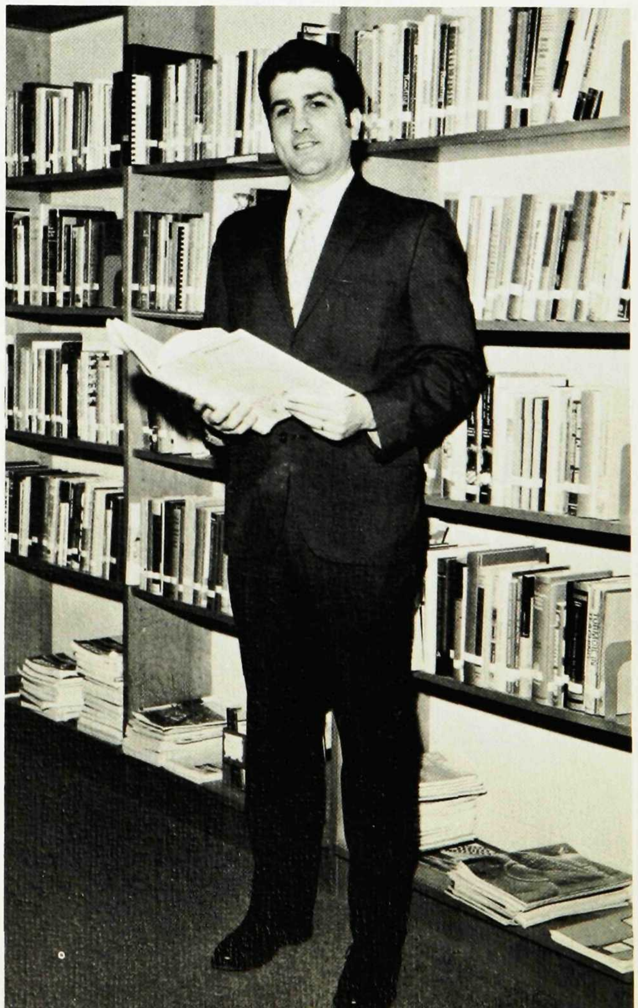
In these days of great concern for our educational system and the corresponding costs to the taxpayers, the unpaid members of our Board of Education spend approximately one hundred nights each year in the almost impossible search for the best education within the community's ability to pay. Nights are long, the problems complex, and the recommended conclusions constantly challenged.

Often thankless, constantly frustrating, but truly representative democracy at its best is the job of a Board of Education trustee.

We thank you.



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Extending the glad hand of friendship, Superintendent Paul Shelly congratulates Mr. John N. Montemurro upon being elected president of the Board of Education.

Mr. Paul Shelly.. .Warm Welcome

Mr. Paul Shelly
Superintendent of
Schools

Our welcome mat is out for Mr. Paul A. Shelly, the new Superintendent of Schools. Mr. Shelly has come to our school system with a wealth of experience, having served the Montclair Public School system for ten years in such positions as elementary principal, director of curriculum, Assistant Superintendent, and, finally, Superintendent. He lives in West Caldwell with his wife and their three children. Mr. Shelly is a graduate of Kutztown State College in Pennsylvania, has received his Master's degree from Lehigh University, and has done doctoral work at Rutgers University. He has also taught on the college level at the State Colleges of Newark and Paterson, and at Lehigh University and Rutgers University. He is a member of the Rotary Club, New Jersey Schoolmasters Club, the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, and the New Jersey and National Education Associations.

Again, our welcome is extended to our new commander-in-chief!